

**IF YOU ARE A WOMAN WHO WAS ADMITTED INTO  
THE CUSTODY OF THE FRANKLIN COUNTY  
SHERIFF'S OFFICE, AND HAD PHOTOGRAPHS  
TAKEN OF TATTOOS ON YOUR PRIVATE PARTS  
BETWEEN MAY 23, 2011 AND APRIL 30, 2014, YOU  
ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE MONEY FROM A  
CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT**

**Your Rights Could be Affected by a  
Class Action Lawsuit Settlement**

The United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio has certified a Settlement Class as part of a proposed settlement of a class action alleging female pre-arrainment detainees at Jackson Pike between May 23, 2011, and April 30, 2014, had photographs taken of their tattoos in private areas in violation of their constitutional rights. The primary benefit of the settlement to class members is a payment. Each Class Member is entitled to receive a *pro rata* share of the Settlement Fund, which we estimate will be in excess of \$ 2,000 per class member.

**What is this Lawsuit?**

This is a class action lawsuit alleging that Franklin County engaged in the practice of illegally photographing the privates of female detainees charged with misdemeanors or other minor crimes upon their entry into the Jackson Pike facility between May 23, 2011 and April 20, 2014. The Plaintiff alleges, and Franklin County admits, that employees at the Jackson Pike facility photographed tattoos on the private parts of female detainees during this time period. Photos were taken of tattoos on the breasts, genitals, buttocks and in the area below the belly button. The Plaintiff alleges that the taking of these photographs of tattoos on a female detainee's private parts, as embodied in Franklin County policy, violates the Constitution of the United States. Franklin County claims that its practices are justified and legal.

This lawsuit does not include men, individuals who were charged with felonies, or individuals who did not have tattoos on their privates.

**Who is Included in the Class?**

You are a class member if you are female, were admitted into the Jackson Pike Facility between May 23, 2011 and April 20, 2014, were only charged with a misdemeanor or other minor crime, and had tattoos on your private parts photographed during your admission to the Jackson Pike facility.

**Are You Entitled to Any Benefits at This Time?**

Yes. Defendant has agreed to provide a Settlement Fund amount of \$2,500,000.00 to: compensate Class Members whose tattoos were photographed while at the Jackson Pike facility during the class period; pay for attorneys' fees, up to a maximum of \$833,333.33; pay litigation expenses for class counsel; provide the class representative a service award of \$50,000 for stepping forward and representing the Class; and pay all the expenses of notifying the class about, and administering all aspects of, this Settlement, and delivering payments to class members. Attorneys' fees, administration costs and incentive awards are taken out of the settlement fund amount prior to distribution to the class. A complete description of the settlement is provided in the Settlement Agreement and Release.

For more information, call toll free or visit the settlement website:

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